

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
Plaintiff,) CASE NO. MJ25-284
v.)
NATHANIAL GRIER,)
Defendant.)
DETENTION ORDER

Offenses charged:

1. Possession of a Controlled Substance with Intent to Distribute
2. Possession of a Firearm in Furtherance of Drug Trafficking Crime
3. Unlawful Possession of Firearms.

Date of Detention Hearing: May 14, 2025.

The Court, having conducted a detention hearing pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §3142(f) and based upon the factual findings and statement of reasons for detention hereafter set forth, finds that no condition or combination of conditions which defendant can meet will reasonably assure

01 the appearance of defendant as required and the safety of other persons and the community.

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03 **FINDINGS OF FACT AND STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR DETENTION**

04 1. Defendant has been charged with a drug offense, the maximum penalty of which
05 is in excess of ten years. There is therefore a rebuttable presumption against defendant as to
06 both dangerousness and flight risk, under 18 U.S.C. § 3142(e).

07 2. Defendant poses a danger to the community based on the nature of the alleged
08 offense and extensive criminal history, and a risk of flight based upon prior failures to appear.
09 Defendant does not contest detention at this time, and may request a detention hearing at a later
10 time.

11 3. There does not appear to be any condition or combination of conditions that will
12 reasonably assure the defendant's appearance at future Court hearings while addressing the
13 danger to other persons or the community.

14 It is therefore ORDERED:

15 1. Defendant shall be detained pending trial, and committed to the custody of the Attorney
16 General for confinement in a correction facility separate, to the extent practicable, from
17 persons awaiting or serving sentences or being held in custody pending appeal;
18 2. Defendant shall be afforded reasonable opportunity for private consultation with counsel;
19 3. On order of the United States or on request of an attorney for the Government, the person
20 in charge of the corrections facility in which defendant is confined shall deliver the
21 defendant to a United States Marshal for the purpose of an appearance in connection with a
22 court proceeding; and

01 4. The Clerk shall direct copies of this Order to counsel for the United States, to counsel for
02 the defendant, to the United States Marshal, and to the United State Probation Services Officer.

03 DATED this 14th day of May, 2025.

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05 S. KATE VAUGHAN
06 United States Magistrate Judge
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